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WISHED TO CUT GIRL IN PIECES

Man on Construction Gang Near
Wolf Creek Threatened
Girl's Life

BELIEVED TO BE INSANE

Was Arrested and Was Brought
Into Town By Mounted
Police

ANOTHER MAN ARRESTED

He Is Insane and Will Be Taken
to Brandon With Two
Others

Two more insane men have been brought in by the R. N. W. M. P. A man named Connolly and a friend whose name the police were unable to find out, were brought in yesterday.

While a policeman was bringing Connolly in he received a wire at Wolf Creek, stating that a complaint had been received from some settlers living near that there was a man in the community who had gone crazy. On his way in this man was handed over to the policeman, who brought him into town. Connolly is known to be insane, but the other is under observation and has not been committed yet. That he must be in a mentally unbalanced state is pretty certain from the fact that on his way in he was securely handcuffed and had ropes wound around his body.

Would Cut Girl to Pieces

One of the residents at Wolf Creek states that it is thought that the insane man went to the house of some homesteaders, and, finding the daughter of the house, threatened her life, telling her that he would cut her up into small pieces. The neighbors were aroused by her cries and the man was got under control and handed over to the police.

Connolly, the other man, is insane and will join the party of Bartholomew Harold and his wife, the Italians, who are suffering from religious mania, and who proceed to Brandon tonight in the charge of the mounted police, leaving six small children behind them. Mr. Chadwick, superintendent of the Industrial School, has taken charge of them and placed them in the department for indigent children, where they will be well looked after until their mother and father recover.

WOULD HAVE BEEN NEARLY TWO MILLION

Arrangements Were Made For
That Many Scholars to Cele-
brate Empire Day

(Canadian Associated Press)
London, Aug. 17.—The secretary of the Empire movement reports that Empire Day would have been celebrated in a far more extended manner than in previous years if it had not been for the death of King Edward. Arrangements had been made whereby 2,850,000 scholars would have celebrated the occasion.

FISHERIES CASE AWARD IN SEPT.

Expected Hague Tribunal Decision Will Be Handed Down
Next Month

The Hague, Aug. 17.—It is expected that the decision of the Newfoundland fisheries arbitration will be announced on or about September 1st. Sir Edward Morris, Premier of Newfoundland, in an interview stated that he had been struck by the earnestness with which the members of the tribunal had considered the question.

"Our stay at the Hague," he added, "has shown us how necessary to the interests of peace such a tribunal is. Its value would be largely increased if it could be made permanent."

There are some swell new things in men's soft and straw hats at Kelly & Moore's.

Hamilton watches, Jackson Bros.

WHAT YOU WILL SEE WHEN YOU GO TO THE EXHIBITION —DESCRIPTION OF GROUNDS

The outstanding features of the exhibition grounds which meet the eye as soon as the main entrance is passed are the size of the grounds and buildings and the fresh green look which pervades the grounds. Taking into consideration the fact that a short while ago there was rough brush, where the grounds now are, there certainly has been a marvellous change.

The main entrance from Spruce avenue is a double one containing four ticket windows and four turnstiles with an exit gate in the centre, the whole built of solid concrete blocks and erected free by the Edmonton Concrete Company.

Once inside the grounds, the directors' house, a low shingled bungalow, is right in front surrounded by shade trees with a green lawn at the back separating it from the race track.

The Grand Stand

Turning to the right after passing through the main entrance the grand stand comes into view. The seating capacity of this stand is over 5,000, part being reserved seats and part unreserved. In the reserved portion folding chairs are being placed which is a luxury that is seldom seen on any race track. On the lowest tier are

SPAIN FORBIDS CARLIST MEETS

Government Decides to Prohibit
All Meetings of the Repub-
lican Carlists

PLANNED FOR NEXT WEEK

Apparently Government Feared
That Riots Would Be Result
of Meetings

Madrid, Aug. 17.—The government today decided to forbid the Carlist and republican meetings which were being arranged to be held throughout Catalonia on August 28. The tone of the announcements of the intended demonstrations was such that disorder was feared.

BOYS MAKE A RUN, ON THE HERCULEAN

Paris, Aug. 17.—A run on the Carnegie Hero Fund came to an end there today, through the watchfulness of the Paris police. For days the newspapers had been filled with accounts of boys who had been filled with acts of heroism by boys of from 12 to 16 years of age. Daily two or three rescues have been made from the river and the canal by mere tots.

Today it was discovered that there existed a band of small boys, who were in the habit of drawing lots to see which should fall into the water and which effect the "rescue." Together with the dripping lad the "hero" would hurry to the nearest police station, and claim the reward given the rescuer of a drowning person, after which the boys would sell the story to one of the newspapers and divide the proceeds.

OVER A THOUSAND DROWN IN FLOOD

Nearly Four Thousand Houses
Washed Away by Japanese
Floods

Tokio, Aug. 17.—Casualties from the floods which last week inundated many districts in Japan and on which Saturday's bulletin tabulated two of the principal wards of Tokio, almost entirely, were given out today, after official investigations, as 1112 dead and missing.

The number of houses washed away in addition to the thousands which were swept away during the flood but resisted the strain, was 3950.

"Thousands of people are homeless and dependent on public relief."

Buying your drugs and medicine at as means much to a family exchequer. Edmonton Drug Co.

GAS COMPANY TOO GREEDY

Wants Just About Everything According to Commissioner
Bouillon

HAVEN'T PUT UP A BOND

The City Asked Company to Put
Up Guarantee of Good
Faith

ASK A BIG PRICE ALSO

A Dollar and Eighty Cents a
Thousand Cubic Feet Is
Exorbitant

From present indications it appears that negotiations between the city and the International Heating and Lighting Company in connection with the company's offer to supply the municipality with gas, are at an end. In the first place the company has not recognized the condition laid down by the council in February, that a deposit of \$10,000 be made before negotiations be continued, the understanding being that the money be returned in case the negotiations came to naught. Again, according to Commissioner Bouillon's statement to the Capital this morning, the offer of the company as submitted to the commissioners, was of such a nature that it would be impossible for the city to accept it. In the draft agreement submitted there were no clauses by which the city would be allowed a vestige of control or authority over the operation of the plant. Besides, the price asked, that of \$1.80 per thousand cubic feet, was excessive, which indicated that the company wished to make money from the start. In Seattle, which is a much larger city than Edmonton, the city is charged \$1 per thousand cubic feet and even that is considered exorbitant.

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DELEGATES GIVEN FREEDOM OF CITY

General Methodist Conference
Cordially Welcomed by City
of Victoria

COMMITTEES ARE BUSY

Dr. S. S. Cowan Named As As-
sistant Or Successor to
Dr. Carman

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 15.—The general conference was occupied with committee work all this forenoon. Such questions as the time limit of the course of study for prelatry and the new college at Calgary are under earnest consideration.

Among the probable candidates for the general superintendency, either as assistant or as successor of Dr. Carman, the name of Dr. S. D. Cowan is most prominently mentioned. The matter of a retiring allowance for general conference officials was advocated this afternoon by W. N. Rowell and opposed by D. Allison. No action has yet been taken.

Several deputations were the order of the day. First came members of the City Ministers' Association, next followed a deputation from the city council, made up of Mayor Morley, Aldermen Bishop and McKewen, and Solicitor McMillan.

Recent Rains Have Improved Grain and Hay Crops in Southern Alberta

That at some points in the south of the province there are fields of wheat which will average 30 to 40 bushels to the acre, and that conditions in the south are not nearly so bad as they are represented to be, was the statement made to The Capital this morning by Mr. F. C. Lowes of Lowes & Co., the Calgary real estate firm, which has a branch office in this city.

Mr. Lowes said that he had been all through the south of the province recently and that things looked very bright, but he admitted that northern conditions were somewhat better. He said further that there has been a continuous fall of rain in the southern districts during the past week which helped the hay crop materially, and although there will be a shortage it will not be as bad as it is painted. He stated that there would be many cattle sent up from the south this season of \$4 and costs.

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The premier said that he had never answered a summons more gladly than this offer to extend a welcome to the general conference. He placed a high estimate on the Methodist communion as a force for right doing and clean citizenship, not only in British Columbia, but in all Canada.

Pays Warm Tribute.
He deplored the absence of Dr. Robinson, when Canada had no noble citizen. His tribute to the work of pioneers, such as those like Crosby, was appreciated, also his tribute to the late Dr. Sutherland and Dr. Potts, the latter being a warm personal friend and counsellor.

Dr. Carman made a suitable reply.

Handsome new styles in fancy hosiery at Kelly & Moore's.

Engraving as it should be done. Jackson Bros.

Best Silver Polish, Jackson Bros.

FOUR HUNDRED SETTLERS FOR EDMONTON DISTRICT DURING THE NEXT MONTH

It is estimated by the local immigration officials that in the neighborhood of 400 American settlers will arrive in the Edmonton district during September and the early part of October. This estimate is based on the number of Americans that have arrived here during the summer from various points in the States, as the agents or representatives of large bodies of Americans interested in Canadian lands. In every case, hardly without exception, these representatives have returned to their respective homes highly enthusiastic over conditions here and with the intention of reporting favorably to their compatriots. Men have come here from many states in the union, even as far away as Kentucky, with the commission to find out all they can about the possibilities and conditions in this district. The states of Idaho, Oregon, Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, Washington, Wyoming, Kentucky, and the Dakotas have been represented in the number of fore-runners of large bodies of settlers.

Comes With Harvest Proceeds
Besides the settlers that will come into this district on account of the reports taken back by their agents,

there will be a large number coming north after they have gathered their own harvest, to investigate conditions for themselves. The American farmers have realized that they can sell out their lands in the south and come up here and buy at least three times as much land, equally as good, if not better than their own, for the selling price of their present farms. Moreover, in most places they do not find it difficult to dispose of their property, because the influx into the western states from the east and Europe is as great as ever.

Climate Good for Asthma
It has been noticed by the immigration officials here, that a great many American settlers, particularly those from Kentucky and Oklahoma, are suffering from asthma and bronchial trouble, which the settlers attribute to climatic conditions in their native states. The climate up here is much more favorable, they state.

During the next large number of settlers will, upon locating their homesteads, commence the erection of houses and the clearing of the land so as to have it in readiness for cultivation in the spring. In the meantime their families will remain in Edmonton.

Japan to Annex
Korea Shortly

Negotiations Are Now Under
Way and Will Be Completed
Soon

COMMENCED YESTERDAY

Lieut-General Viscount Terauchi
Interviewing the Korean
Cabinet

Tokio, Aug. 17.—The long waited annexation of Korea by Japan is about to become a reality according to a special dispatches from Seoul. The despatches announce that the final negotiations for the annexation were commenced yesterday by Lieut-General Viscount Terauchi, the Japanese resident-general in Korea. The resident-general then outlined the conditions upon which Japan will sign the agreement for annexation. It is believed that the negotiations with the members of the Korean Cabinet will be concluded in two or three days.

Gay Time For O.O.R.
When in London

Banquets, Theatre Parties, Drives
and Other Festivities Will
Keep Them Busy

(Canadian Associated Press)
London, Aug. 17.—The program for the entertainment of the Queen's Own Rifles of Toronto, during the first four days stay in London, is so full that their itinerary will be taxed to complete it. It includes a banquet on each of the days, visits to theatres and music halls, circular drives through the city and other festivities.

Granadier's Band
Bandmaster Williams of the Granadiers, says that the full strength of the band is 66 but only 40 are going to Canada.

"Only good music will be rendered," he says, "No more numbers than are absolutely necessary of what are commonly called popular will be included in the programmes. The Canadian bands themselves will be able to supply an abundance of rag time and similar music if the people desire it. At the same time the character of the music we shall give them will not be too austere."

PRESIDENT OF CHILI DEAD

Bremen, Aug. 17.—The death of President Pedro Montt of Chili, in this city last night was most unexpected. He was preparing for bed when he was seized with cramps in the heart and died almost instantly. His wife was with him at the time.

Unrest Among Strikers
London, Ont., Aug. 17.—There is a feeling of great unrest among the Grand Trunk strikers over the official statement that a number of men here will not be taken back. In some quarters there is strong feeling that the strike should be called again.

FROM PARIS TO LONDON BY AIR

John Moissant, a Young Spanish
Aviator, Is Making a Great
Flight

CROSSED THE CHANNEL

With Ease Rarely Surpassed—
Carried Passenger From
Amiens to Calais

LATHAM NOW OUT OF IT

Was Preparing to Leave Calais
When His Machine Was
Badly Smashed

Deal, Eng., Aug. 17.—With every prospect of success in completing the flight from Paris to London, John Moissant, the young Spanish aviator alighted near here today, having accomplished the flight from Paris to Calais, and the cross-channel flight with an ease rarely surpassed. He is now preparing to continue the trip to London, the completion of which will bring him the cup and prize offered by the London paper, and the proceeds of the subscription raised in England for the Galton White, which the successful competitor in the London Manchester flight generously offered as a prize for the Paris to London competition.

Latham's Machine Smashed

Hubert Latham, who started from Issy, a suburb of Paris, to race Moissant to London, had a serious accident last night at Amiens, culminating in the total wrecking of his machine as he was preparing to resume his flight. Latham escaped unhurt but is out of the race.

Calais, Aug. 17.—Moissant, the aviator, who yesterday flew from Paris to Amiens on the first leg of his flight to this city, left Amiens at 5:59 this morning with a passenger and landed at Calais at 7:15 o'clock.

PRINCE ALBERT FAIR IS OPENED

Wet Weather Kept Crowds Away
But Exhibits Are Very
Good

Prince Albert, Aug. 17.—The annual exhibition opened here today, but owing to the weather having been wet for the past two or three days the crowd was small, but the exhibits on the whole were exceptionally good. This is especially so in the case of grain and vegetables, which are far better than any previous year.

Part of the American agriculturists who spent the week end in the city and district have left for the south. All the members were very much impressed with the magnificent crops of this district, and especially pleased with the fact that this is a mixed farming country.

TRAINMEN OFFICIALS ARRIVE IN WINNIPEG

Are to Confer With the Canadian
Northern Railway Re New
Schedule

Winnipeg, Man., Aug. 17.—The joint grievance committee of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and of Railway Conductors of the C. N. R. arrived Monday to confer with the company regarding the drafting of a new schedule necessitated, they claim, by the increased cost of living. They will also ask for improvements in working conditions. J. J. Riel is chairman of the trainmen and Barker of the conductors.

They represent about five hundred men covering practically the entire system. There is some talk of the B. of L. E. re-opening their schedule about September the fifteenth.

In Other Words

"The situation was funny enough to make a horse laugh," said the Chicago girl. "Indeed," exclaimed the Boston maid, "I never witnessed an equine exclamation."

Baseball
Cricket
Football
Bowling
Basketball

News and Views of Sport at Home and Abroad

Rowing
Lacrosse
Athletics
The Ring
Wrestling

CHESTY COX MADE ONE RUN

Eskimos Took Game No. 2 From the Berry Pickers, Hickey Pitched

Saskatoon, Aug. 17.—The Berry Pickers dropped the second game to Edmonton yesterday when Chesty Cox scored the one run of the game in the ninth inning. The game today was the best seen here this year.

Edmonton	AB	R	H	E
Mills, Lf.	3	0	1	0
Baxter, 1b.	4	0	1	1
Morse, ss.	4	0	0	3
Tassi, cf.	4	0	0	4
Cox, r.f.	4	1	0	0
Spencer, rf.	4	0	2	0
Walters, 3b.	4	0	0	5
Hickey, p.	4	0	0	2
White, cf.	3	0	0	3
Totals	31	1	5	14

Saskatoon	AB	R	H	E
Schaeffer, 1b.	4	0	0	1
Jones, 2b.	4	0	0	0
Wilson, 3b.	4	0	1	0
Davidson, c.	4	0	0	0
Harper, ss.	3	0	1	1
Anderson, r.f.	2	0	1	2
Hewer, cf.	2	0	0	0
Miller, 3b.	3	0	2	3
Whisman, p.	3	0	0	3
Gordon, r.f.	4	0	0	1
Totals	38	0	5	18

Bases on balls, off Whisman 4, off Hickey 27; struck out, by Whisman 4, by Hickey 1; left on bases, Saskatoon 3, Edmonton 8; sacrifice hits, Hewer; stolen bases, Mills 3, Morse, Cox; time, 1:10; umpire, Smith; attendance, 500.

Western Canada League Standing

Won	Lost	Pct.
Calgary	24	.730
Edmonton	23	.719
Winnipeg	19	.579
Moose Jaw	16	.552
Saskatoon	14	.466
Lethbridge	12	.371
Brandon	10	.313
Regina	6	.27

CALGARY TENNIS

The following games will take place today in the Calgary Tennis Tournament:

9:00 a.m.—Gentlemen's handicap singles, Nash vs. Fraser; gentlemen's handicap doubles, Holman and Kincaid vs. Huggill and Allison.
9:45 a.m.—Gentlemen's handicap singles, Constable v. Bradburn; ladies' open singles, Miss Sparrow v. Miss Ross.
10:30 a.m.—Mixed handicap doubles, J. Toole and Mrs. Smith v. A. Toole and Miss Toole; Dickey and Miss Vidal v. Nash and Miss Cutbert; final gentlemen's handicap doubles, C. Garrett and Constable v. Walter Holman, etc.
11:30 a.m.—Gentlemen's handicap singles, Kincaid v. Bradburn or Constable; final handicap mixed doubles.

Remaining N. L. U. Games

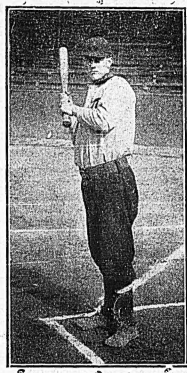
Aug. 20—Montreal at National.
Aug. 20—Tuescumh at Capital.
Aug. 20—Shamrock at Toronto.
Aug. 27—Capital at Toronto.
Aug. 27—National at Cornwall.
Aug. 27—Tuescumh at Montreal.
Sept. 3—National at Montreal.
Sept. 3—Shamrock at Capital.
Sept. 7—Toronto at National.
Sept. 10—Montreal at Shamrock.
Sept. 17—Cornwall at Montreal.

SAVED HIS CAR FARE

Dick Rudolph, the Toronto pitcher who it is said will join the Highlanders at the close of the present Eastern League season, intends to study law next winter. He will enter Fordham University. The Bronx boy is a credit to the baseball profession. At one time things weren't breaking any too hot for the Rudolph family. Dick used to get \$20 every Sunday for pitching games for a semi-professional club in The Bronx, and he turned \$1900 of this sum over to his parents merely reserving car fare for himself.

CALLIES AND LLOYDMINSTER

Callies A and Lloydminster will meet at Diamond Park next week in the first semi-final game for the Bennett Shield. J. Dugality of Calgary will handle them.



PETE MORSE

Shortstop of Edmonton Baseball Team who has been sold to Roger Bresnahan's St. Louis Nationals for \$1500. Pete will not leave the Eskimos until the end of the W.C.L. season.

PETE MORSE IS SOLD TO ST. LOUIS

Roger Bresnahan Grabs Old Star Short Stop for \$1500, Reports at End of Season

(Capital, Edmonton, Alta.)

Saskatoon, Sask., Aug. 16.—Sold short stop, Pete Morse, today to Roger Bresnahan, manager St. Louis National League team, for fifteen hundred dollars.

Morse is to remain with Edmonton until the close of the Western Canada League season—Deacon White.

"Though the fans have been expecting to hear news to this effect for some time, nobody had any idea that Pete would go to St. Louis."

The splendid work Morse has done since joining the Edmonton team could fail to attract the attention of the "powers higher up" and Edmonton certainly will congratulate Pete on his promotion.

Since reporting here in the spring Pete has been the bright star of the Eskimos line-up, and from the start of the schedule has set the League afire. In the last averages promulgated by President Eckstein he was the leading short stop, stood second in the batting and second in stolen bases.

In fielding he participated in 55 games, had 104 put-outs, and 180 assists, with only 12 errors, which gave him a fielding percentage of .976. In the batting Clynes of Calgary was first with Pete close on his heels with a percentage of .330. Of 55 games he was at bat 211 times, and his safely 73 at bats. In addition he had 35 stolen bases.

Pete will join the Cardinals at the conclusion of the Western Canada League schedule and will probably have an opportunity to show his worth as the National League season does not close until October.

A lot of praise must be handed to old scamp Deacon for the day. Deak said from the first of training that Pete would be a sale at the end of the season, and he was not wrong. Deacon knows a ball player when he sees one, and probably news about several other Eskimos will be heard in a week or so.

FOR A COLD EVENING.

Collier's Weekly prints the following: "Readers whose cerebral hemisphere's lack work may like to tell us which of the following baseball nines would be the stronger: Catcher—Kling, Gibson. Pitcher—Kling, Mathewson. First base—Chas. Chance. Second base—Evers, Lajoie. Third base—Devlin, H. Lord. Short stop—Tinker, Wagner. Left field—Clarke, Leach. Centre field—Cobb, Magee. Right field—Crawford, Speaker."

Also anybody who can pick two stronger nines out of this year's players is welcome to exercise himself too, or indeed, if he prefers, in some other manner that may strike him as either more pleasing or better for his health.

NO TEAM CAN WIN THE FLAG WITHOUT GOOD PITCHERS

Heavy Batters Have Some Share of the Credit but it is the Pitcher Who Does the Work

Never before probably in the history of baseball has the value of good pitching to a team been demonstrated as thoroughly as in the two major league races this season. Good batters, fielders and base runners are essential assets of a successful team, but let the pitching be inferior and the good work of the others will likely go for naught.

One of the best examples of what a good pitching corps means to a team is furnished with the Cardinals. Manager Bresnahan is the owner of one of the best "scoring machines" in the country. Its seldom that the team is held to a shutout or one or two runs. The average is more nearly in the neighborhood of three, four and five.

Still, the team hasn't been winning nearly a majority of its games. Simply because the pitchers have been unable to hold down the opposition. If Bresnahan were fortunate enough to have three fairly good boxmen as members of his team it wouldn't seem unreasonable to claim a first division berth for the Cardinals.

But there isn't a single member of his twirling corps that can be ranked with the stars of the twirling world. He has been especially unfortunate in having every member of his twirling staff collapse at the same time.

But the St. Louis club is not the only one that is suffering for lack of good pitching. Take the Detroit Tigers, for instance. "Jennings" Bengali was picked to win its fourth successive pennant. The claim was made on the belief that Hughes's slugging would perform up to their 1909 standard. The Tigers are the same old run makers but the pitchers have failed, and from present indications it seems that the Detroit crowd will be disappointed.

The Detroit team never really boasted of a high-class set of slammers. Bill Donovan and George Mullin have been mainly responsible for the three Tiger victories in a pitching way. Donovan was the noise the first year the team landed on top.

He backed up in 1908, but Jennings was fortunate in having Mullin round to form, after several years of just fair success. Mullin was also the main reason the Tigers were in the pennant a year ago. With just a fair twirling crew, the Tiger batters saw to it that the runs made by the opposition were usually overcome.

Now the same fair pitching staff has further slipped and the result is

BUDD BURT FOR CALGARY.

As an added attraction to the Alberta-Montreal tour in Calgary, on Monday night, Budd Burt and Young Maxwell will spar ten rounds. It will be a preliminary, but will take place at the finish of the main bout.

Maxwell is already in Calgary preparing for the scrap, while Budd Burt, accompanied by his brother, Myrand, will leave on the one o'clock train tomorrow morning.

Neither Maxwell nor Burt will need much preparation for next Monday's bout, as they are both in the pink of condition from their last meeting.

It is likely if they make a good show that Johnnie Reid, the Calgary fight impresario will match them for a 15 round bout in the near future.

Tommy Burns, who is to referee the Burt-Maxwell go has not yet arrived in Calgary, but is expected very shortly. Mrs. Burns recently presented the Canadian heavyweight with a fine bounding girl which has been christened Alberta Hilarity Burns. So Tommy is rather loth to leave home. But he will be in Calgary for Monday night's show.

Umpire Chases Spectator.

Marion, Ind., Aug. 17.—The ball game between Marion and Bluffton of the Northern Indiana League had an exciting finish when Umpire Sullivan chased C. W. Clark, general superintendent of the Marion, Burton and Eastern Traction Company from the grounds.

THE BLIND BASEBALL FAN

Kansas Has Totally Blind Man who Goes to All the Games and Enjoys the Play.

St. Louis, Mon., Aug. 17.—The most enthusiastic baseball fan in Kansas is Gish of Abilene, a piano tuner, who is totally blind. He attends all the ball games at Abilene, and is well acquainted with the names of the players and the merits of each on the field. Gish can tell you how many hits or strikes there are on a batter, and how many outs on the side at bat. After the game he can recount the features of the game, and enjoys talking over the play with his friends.

"How can I enjoy a ball game when I cannot see a play?" repeated Gish. "Well, I listen to what the people about me are saying. I can tell every play that is made, providing there is not too much noise. When the ball leaves the bat, I generally can tell where it is knocked and who makes the put-out. Sometimes I hear people around me asking how many strikes are on the batter, and if they would ask me I could tell them, because I always listen to the umpire's decision. I cannot tell when an outfield play is made, but I get that by asking some one who is near me. I can give a detailed account of every ball game I attend."

THINKS N.Y. HAS BEST PITCHERS

Chief Meyers Considers Mathewson, Crandall and Marquard a Great Trio

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Chief Meyers, the Giant's catcher, has an idea that the New York Giants possess the three most remarkable pitchers in the game. Now you may not agree with the remarks of the Indian catcher. That's all right, too. But the chief is entitled to his opinion. Here are the three men whom the chief thinks are the most remarkable twirlers in the game, and the reasons why they are remarkable: Mathewson—greatest pitcher of them all; Crandall, nerviest pitcher; Marquard, pitcher with the widest and quickest breaking curve.

Now what do you think of the chief? Do you believe that Mathewson is the greatest pitcher in the world? Do you believe that Crandall is the nerviest? And, finally, do you believe that Marquard, "the \$1,000 beauty," has the fastest and most sweeping break in his curve?

"I think Mathewson is the greatest pitcher of them all," said the Indian. "Do you know, he would be even a greater pitcher if he were not so great? He has the fastest and most sweeping break in his curve. But by any manager will tell you that control is one of the pitcher's greatest assets. Many a pitcher has remained in the game on his control, his knowledge of batsmen and his nerve."

"But I sometimes believe that Mathewson's perfect control is sometimes a detriment to him. Take a weak batter. If the pitcher is wild, he pulls away from the plate. But if Matty is pitching, he stands up there like the greatest slugger in the game. He has no fear. He knows that Matty has absolute control of the ball, and that he is in no danger of being hit. He doesn't pull away from the plate. Not he. He stands right up there and takes a good healthy swing at the ball. I believe that if Matty didn't have such perfect control, oftentimes he would be better off."

"Now about this Marquard. Don't get the impression that he is a lemon. He has one of the finest assortments of curves I ever looked at. I think that he will develop into one of the very outpaws the game ever produced."

Then he came to Crandall. "There is one nervy pitcher," commented the Indian. "There isn't a better in the National League he fears. He's as calm in the great moments of a game as he is when the bases are empty and he is running easy."

"Nothing worries him. Not that he doesn't take things seriously, but he doesn't allow anything to get on his nerves. He's there to pitch ball. He is there to do his best. He does it regardless of whether the bases are crowded in a close game or not. He is the tug of war and the Deacon White Cup for the 100 yards dash."

LOCALS LOST TENNIS MATCH

Haines and Northrop of Lloydminster Defeated Nash and Kincaid in Straight Sets

Messrs. Haines and Northrop, of Lloydminster, won the tennis championship of Alberta in the gentleman's doubles at the Edmonton Tennis Club courts yesterday afternoon by defeating Messrs. Nash and Kincaid, of Edmonton. The local players were beaten in three straight sets, the scores being 6-4, 6-3, 8-6. The game was the final in the doubles and was the continuation of the tournament that had been in progress in Calgary for the last few days.

Northrop, for the visitors was pronounced by the spectators to be the best player on the court, while the work of Kincaid was also of a fine order. Nash was off color and knocked the ball into the net repeatedly. He made some brilliant plays occasionally, however, but in nearly every case marred them by following with wretched faults. Haines supported his playing partner in fine style and pulled off some fine returns. Northrop gathered in the most impossible returns and was heartily applauded. He played consistently throughout and showed splendid judgment.

The first set opened with some sharp rallying and the games went alternatively to each side, till finally the Lloydminster men forced a lead.

The second set was won a little more easily, the losers showing a trifle of fatigue on account of their forcing the play in the first. They won the first game of the set, but lost the lead in the third and never regained it. There were several dense games in this set, and much excitement was caused.

The final set was the most closely contested of the three, the locals fighting every inch of the way. At one time the score was 4-0 in their opponents' favor, but by dogged work they evened matters and were tie at six. At this point the Edmontonians became a little flustered, and their opponents taking advantage forced the play and annexed the final two games. R.C. Carlie acted as umpire.

There was only a small crowd in attendance owing to the threatening state of the weather.

FOR PEOPLE'S SHIELD.

Hillhurst Team of Calgary Will Make Trip to Toronto.

Calgary, August 17.—Calgary will be represented at the big People's Shield competition in Toronto after all, for the Hillhurst team has decided to take the journey. The holder of the shield has claimed the Dominion football championship in years past, and has been held the last couple of years by the Caledonians. This year the Caledonians, being vexed at the unfair and unsportsmanlike conduct of Parker, the representative of the shield, decided to notice the tournament which is being held in Toronto, and declined to go.

The executive committee of the Hillhurst club held a meeting last night and decided unanimously to make the trip. The club will write to Parker first to find if, according to the rules, the team is eligible. It is thought that it is eligible. The expenses will be considerable, but a large amount of subscription money has already been raised. The team proposes to play exhibition matches at Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Montreal, Ottawa, and other Ontario points.

"Now about this Marquard. Don't get the impression that he is a lemon. He has one of the finest assortments of curves I ever looked at. I think that he will develop into one of the very outpaws the game ever produced."

Then he came to Crandall. "There is one nervy pitcher," commented the Indian. "There isn't a better in the National League he fears. He's as calm in the great moments of a game as he is when the bases are empty and he is running easy."

"Nothing worries him. Not that he doesn't take things seriously, but he doesn't allow anything to get on his nerves. He's there to pitch ball. He is there to do his best. He does it regardless of whether the bases are crowded in a close game or not. He is the tug of war and the Deacon White Cup for the 100 yards dash."

SCORES IN THE MAJOR LEAGUES

National League

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	510	000	010-7 4 1
Boston	001	010	300-5 9 5
Lash and Phelps; Evans, Froch, Brown and Graham.			
Second game—			
St. Louis	100	000	100-3 8 3
Boston	000	203	000-8 1 1
Willis, Dabshack and Phelps; Froch and Raridan.			
Cincinnati	001	022	100-6 9 1
Philadelphia	200	000	010-3 13 3
Pittsburg	100	000	000-1 7 2
New York	100	000	000-2 6 2
Adams-Gibson; Ames-Schick.			

American League

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	010	100	000-3 13 3
Detroit	000	203	000-8 1 1
Groom, Otey and Ainsworth; Donovan and Schmidt.			
New York	001	015	000-7 10 3
Chicago	000	000	010-1 7 3
Quinn and Sweeney; Olmstead, Young, White and Schikan.			
Cleveland	000	000	000-2 11 3
Philadelphia	110	030	076-18 28 3
Falkenberg and Easterly; Bland, Dwyer and Coombs; Thomas and Livingston.			
St. Louis	000	000	000-0 6 1
Boston	001	001	000-1 9 0
Ljnk, Ray and Killifer and Stephenson; Smith, Hall, Kleinow and Carigan.			

Eastern League

	R.	H.	E.
Montreal	000	000	012-3 7 1
Jersey City	002	040	000-7 11 1
Wiggs-Kriehell; Kissinger-Butler.			
Rochester	000	301	002-6 10 0
Baltimore	101	000	100-4 12 2
Ragon, Holmes and Blair; Atkins and Vickers and Egan.			
Buffalo	000	001	001-2 6 0
Newark	000	000	100-1 9 1
Vowinkel and Williams; Waddell, Spauld and McAllister.			
Toronto	000	000	030-5 7 3
Providence	100	001	001-2 5 1
McLinden-Venderriff; Foley-Peterson.			
Second game—			
Buffalo	001	100	000-2 11 2
Newark	000	000	000-0 7 13 2
Taylor, Jessup and Williams; Holmes and McAllister.			
Called on account of darkness.			

Western Canada League

	R.	H.	E.
Winnipeg	133	010	000-0 8 0
Regina	000	000	000-2 7 2
Lyfett-Edwards; Gilechrist-Voss.			
Edmonton	000	000	000-0 0 0
Saskatoon	000	000	000-0 0 0
Wideman, Davidson and Anderson; Hickey and Spencer.			
Moose Jaw	000	000	000-0 4 3
Brandon	000	000	000-2 4 0
Heinrich-Cooper; Smith-Burns.			
Second game—			
Brandon	000	000	000-1 4 2
Moose Jaw	000	000	000-1 3 1
Thelan-Cooper; Brown-Brooks, Lethbridge-Calgary-Rain.			

RICKARD GOES BACK TO MINES

Tex Says He Is Through Promoting Fights and Will Devote Time to Digging Coal.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 17.—Tex Rickard, coal mine owner, who left here four weeks ago for a sojourn in the southern part of the state as Tex Rickard, prize fight promoter, has returned. His message to the people is that he is through with the fight game. The Jeffries-Johnson show at Reno was my last appearance as a promoter. It isn't that I love the fight game less, but that I love that coal mine more."

Cigar Dealers Take Notice

If you are not already handling Webster's Clear Havana you are simply standing in your own light. They are fast becoming the most popular cigars on the market and why should you not share in the benefits of this popularity?

The Live Ones all Handle Them

Executions in Russia.
During the last five years 6,258 persons have been sent to the gallows in Russia, most of them for offences which would be freely forgiven by most magistrates.

Zinc.
Zinc expands up to the melting point.

Ancient Japanese Steel.
The Japanese are said to have had a curious method of making steel. They buried forged iron in marshy ground, and after eight or ten years, through some alchemy of nature, it came out steel.

Iodine Stains.
If iodine stains are upon wood, wet the wood with carborundum and let stand a minute, then rub until the stains disappear.

A Great Reservoir.
The reservoir created by the Roosevelt dam on the Salt River, in Arizona, is the largest artificial body of water in the world. Its capacity is 61,000,000,000 cubic feet, and if its waters were spread over Delaware it would cover the entire surface of that state a foot in depth.

Old Glory.
The United States flag is twenty-four years older than Great Britain's 109 years older than that of Germany or Italy and thirteen years older than the French tricolor.

Sickness and Death.
For every person who dies in a year there are two persons constantly ill.

The Coliseum.
We boast of stadiums which can seat 40,000 spectators of modern sports and forget how much more imposing and immense the Romans made their Coliseum, where 87,000 could sit and 15,000 more stand standing room.

Midway East and West.
The geographical east and west center of the United States is near San Francisco. That city is about midway between the easternmost point in Maine and the westernmost point at the tip of the Aleutian Islands, extending from Alaska out into the Pacific ocean.

Pure Water.
Water in a state of purity is 825 times heavier than air.

Jay Gould's Tomb.
The late Jay Gould rests in a mausoleum on a circular plot, 170 feet in diameter, at Central and Observatory avenues in Woodlawn cemetery, New York. The mausoleum is of granite, 25 by 32 feet, with a height of twenty feet. The entrance door is of bronze, eight feet high, and weighs two tons. There are twenty catacombs within.

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CITY MAY ESTABLISH MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC PLANT ON ATHABASCA

COMMISSIONERS AUTHORIZED TO COLLECT DATA ON COST OF A HYDRO-ELECTRIC PLANT ON THE ATHABASCA RIVER, ONE HUNDRED MILES NORTH OF EDMONTON—OTHER MATTERS TAKEN UP AT LAST NIGHT'S COUNCIL MEETING.

WHAT WAS DONE

Commissioners authorized to collect data in connection with proposal to establish a municipal hydro-electric plant on the Athabasca River.

Complaints of Messrs. Hoffman and Furlong regarding Isolation Hospital were dismissed.

As International Lighting and Heating Co. have not put up bond of \$50,000, negotiations are off for the present.

Work on Jasper avenue subway will not likely be commenced this year.

Many local improvements were authorized.

City will help entertain the Canadian Manufacturers' Association.

Thursday, August 25th, will be declared a holiday by the Mayor.

The question of buying College avenue land from Alberta College was laid over, the park committee reporting the price asked to be too large.

Third street paving was discussed.

Ald. Armstrong brought up the question of a union station, and the commissioners were authorized to go into the matter.

Before a decision is to be made by the council in regard to the offer of the Edmonton Heat and Power Company to supply energy to the city for \$200 per horse power per annum, the city commissioners are to collect data in connection with the proposal to establish a municipal hydro-electric plant on the Athabasca river, at a point 100 miles north of Edmonton, to prepare an estimate of the cost of establishing such a plant. They are also to consider the advisability of employing a competent engineer to make an investigation of the proposition. This idea was discussed in the council in January, but nothing definite was decided then.

Such was the conclusion arrived at at last night's meeting of the city council, and it arose from a discussion of a report by the commissioners on the offer of the Edmonton Heat and Power Company. The report stated that there was no fault to be found with the price asked by the Edmonton Heat and Power Company, but it contained the advice that it would be better before deciding to investigate the hydro-electric scheme. After pointing out that it would cost the city \$200,000 a year if the offer of the Edmonton Heat and Power Company's offer was accepted, the report goes on to say:

"What Commissioners Said"

"The amount of \$200,000 contemplated to be paid per annum to the Edmonton Heat and Power Company under their proposition to furnish 100 H.P. would represent approximately the interest and sinking fund charges on an investment of \$2,000,000 and is possible that for an expenditure not exceeding that amount, the city could install on the Athabasca river a plant capable of delivering to the city this amount of power. We have no data from which the cost of such a plant could be estimated and we beg to submit for your consideration that it might be advisable before entering into negotiations for the purchase of power to obtain data and ascertain for what total investment the city could install a generating plant on the Athabasca river with transmission line to the city and the necessary substation with an immediate capacity of 10,000 H. P., laid out for convenient future expansion to the limit of power available. This assuming that the right to the water power in question could be secured and that special legislation could be obtained to enable the city to make the necessary financial arrangements to build such a plant with its appurtenances."

In reference to the matter, Ald. Lundy stated that it would be advisable for the city to take advantage of the hydro-electric scheme for the reason that the city would then have control of its own power and could encourage manufacturing by making such terms with prospective industries as they pleased.

Ald. McKinley said that if the offer of the Edmonton Heat and Power

Company's offer was accepted that at the end of the 30-year franchise the city could then take over the plant, according to the draft agreement, but the point was raised as to whether the city could stand the loss of manufacturing industries which might occur during that period.

Ald. Armstrong favored the idea of a hydro-electric plant and thought that it would be of great benefit. He thought that there was no serious difficulty attending the financing of the scheme.

The discussion of the subject was only 100-hazard and it will remain in abeyance until the commissioners make their report.

Dismiss Complaints

The complaints of Messrs. Frank Hoffman and James Furlong, in connection with the charges of carelessness at the Isolation hospital were dismissed without discussion, the commissioners recommending on the advice of City Solicitor Bown that no action be taken. The next steps will have to be taken by the complainants.

Have Made No Deposit

On account of the fact that the International Heating and Lighting Company have not complied with the condition laid down by the council in February that the company should make a deposit of \$50,000 before negotiations should be opened in connection with the gas offer of that concern, there was no discussion of the detailed offer and matters, as far as that is concerned are now at a standstill.

The commissioners reported that the certified cheque for \$5000 supplied by the Drummond-McCall Company of Montreal, a bond for the cost of a survey of an induction motor recently purchased from them, has been considered as forfeited as the motor has not given the service guaranteed, and have found it necessary to purchase another at a cost of \$2,400. The commissioners were authorized by the council in their action.

Jasper Avenue Subway

The council adopted the report of the commissioners in reference to the Jasper avenue subway, which stated that to secure the construction of a 50-foot subway, which was originally planned, and a two-foot subway of the C.P.R. the difference is estimated at \$12,450. The report also contained the statement that working plans had not yet been prepared by the C. P. R. and in addition that owing to the delay that would be occasioned by the city's approval and that the railway commission a start on construction would be inadvisable this year.

Some Local Improvements

The commissioners were authorized to proceed with a number of local improvements.

There was some discussion over the license bylaw as applicable to the circus and other attractions which are coming to the city in connection with the exhibition. The commissioners were instructed to take the matter up with the police department.

The commissioners were given authority to proceed with the extension of water and sewer mains to the site of the new hospital.

The offer of the Hudson Bay Company to sell to the city for \$12,000 all the property lying between Victoria avenue and the C.N.R. tracks and between Sixteenth and Eighteenth streets for park purposes was referred to the commissioners.

Visit of the C. M. A.

A letter was read from the Board of Trade in connection with the approaching visit of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association which will likely take place in the neighborhood of September 27th and 28th. The party will consist of about 300 persons, many of them being leading manufacturers and industrial heads of Canada. A number of them being on their first visit to the West. The Board of Trade asked the city's co-operation in entertaining them and in doing all that is possible to have the members of the association carry away a good impression of Edmonton and district.

It was decided that a committee composed of Mayor Lee and Alds. Mould, Lundy, Armstrong, work in co-operation with the Board of Trade.

Holiday on Thursday, Aug. 25th.

Mr. A. G. Harrison, secretary of

the Exhibition Association, requested that August 25th be constituted a public holiday on the occasion of the exhibition, and that every other day be a half holiday from 12 o'clock. It was decided that a proclamation be issued declaring the 25th a civic holiday, but it was thought it was hardly right to deprive the merchants of business of every afternoon during the week.

Want Firemen in Parade

The Trades and Labor Council requested that the fire department be permitted to take part in the labor day parade. The letter was referred to the commissioners.

A letter of thanks was received from the relief committee of the Campbellton fire disaster, to whom the city granted \$500.

Accounts to the amount of \$202.67-274 were ordered to be paid if found correct.

The park committee reported that the property south of College avenue and north of the C. N. R. tracks, owned by the Alberta College and for which the city holds an option for \$32,000 was not worth more than \$20,000. The committee reported that a retaining wall would have to be placed along the south side. It is the intention of the city to utilize the property for park purposes. Ald. Gariepy requested that the report be laid on the table until next meeting, the request being adopted.

The city commissioners requested that the resolution passed by the council last September ordering all sidewalks to be placed in the centre of the boulevard strip, be rescinded, and that they be authorized to place all first walks not exceeding six feet wide uniformly 4 feet from the property line, leaving the excess of boulevard strip entirely between walk and roadway. The report in which the request was contained was tabled until the next meeting of the council.

Third Street Paving

In reference to the two proposals before the council in connection with paving of one block of Third street from Jasper avenue, it was decided that the commissioners make a report on the matter. There are two proposals, one that bitulithic be used, and the other that the wood blocks, recently removed from the street car tracks, be utilized.

The detailed cost of paving as reported by the commissioners is as follows:

From Jasper avenue, Eleventh to Sixteenth sts., 14,410 sq. yds.	at \$2.88.....	\$3,372.80
Second street, Jasper to McKenzie, 11,420 sq. yds.	at \$2.88.....	3,288.96
Nanaimo avenue, 10th to 11th to Norwood boulevard, 14,450 sq. yds.	at \$2.88.....	\$3,614.40
		\$101,666.40
5 per cent. engineering and inspection		\$6,979.45
		\$66,685.85

Messrs. Robertson, Dickson & Mac Donald wrote to the council asking if any action was being taken to secure Norwood Boulevard of uniform width. The commissioners reported that there was no action now pending with the board of health, his term of office having expired recently.

A petition was received from residents of Grieson street that the dumping of manure in that neighborhood be stopped so that steps be taken to alleviate the unpleasant odor that arises therefrom. It was decided that the commissioners take the matter up with the health authorities.

Should Be Union Station

That a union station should be established for the three different railroads, was the opinion advanced by Ald. Armstrong. He thought that steps should be taken at this time to have the terminals of the railways centralized.

The mayor stated that the probability was that the C. N. R. and G. T. P. would establish a common station and that both of these roads were endeavoring to reach an agreement in regard to the Edmonton terminals.

The commissioners were instructed to take the matter up.

A SMALL ATTENDANCE

Less than one hundred baseball fans saw a record breaking game at Jersey city when Chester Carmichael of Buffalo prevented each and every one of the twenty-seven Jersey batters from cooling his heels on first base.

Tip For Tat.
When many fiction writers try their thoughts to give us a hot We get sort-of novels, with The accent on the rat.
—Lippincott's.

When some hairdressers seek to give us hair to the hat We get sort-of coiffures, with The accent on the rat.
—Boston Traveler.

And when the fisher leaves the pool And gladly home does he We get sort-of stories, with The accent on the rat.
—Topsical Capital.

And when some fellows go downtown to see they make the bull Of coming home quite beautiful, With the accent on the rat.
—Denver Post.

Now, here we have the daily rhyme, Not so far from the hat, Fanned by the office hum-pkin, with The accent on the turn.
—Atlanta Georgian.

Still There.
"I suppose," began the inquiring summer visitor engagingly, "that the wealth in this part of New Hampshire is in the soil?"
The native regarded the shining blade of his scythe reflectively. "I reckon it is," he mildly assented, "I don't know anybody hereabouts that ever got any out of it."—Youth's Companion.

His Preference.
The skimpy novel I abhor, For I am thrifty And want a lot of reading for My dollar shy.
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

And when that bulky book you've got, With careful spending, The tale will have, as like as not, A tragic ending.
—Chicago Tribune.

Something.
"But those extremely violent women jump—how do you manage to keep them so quiet?"
"That's an idea of the new superintendent's."
"Yes?"
"Yes. He had the straitjackets made up in the peacock style."—Puck.

Poker.
A woman calls and leaves her best regards. And when she calls she also leaves her cards. But when man calls formality he skips; He doesn't leave his cards—he leaves his chips.
—New York Times.

Tragedy in Dry Town.
"Yes, sir, the fish was so big it pulled him in the river."
"And he was drowned?"
"No, but he might's well have been, for he lost his grip on his gallow jug and it floated down stream, and he lived in a dry county!"—Atlanta Constitution.

That Strange Feeling.
He didn't know he was in love. We really must confess He thought the feeling Upon him stealing Was merely jealousy.
—Kansas City Journal.

Wanted—Latest Ailment.
"Well, here I am," announced the fashionable physician in his breezy way. "And now what do you think is the matter with you?"
"Doctor, I hardly know," murmured the fashionable patient. "What is new?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Womanlike.
Lots of wife looked back, but why should she? Have suffered as she did? Alas, the really looked back to the probable.
"If I had turned off all the gas!"
—Chicago Record-Herald.

She Was So Particular.
Ella was next one day, there the mirror on a chair scrutinizing her face in the glass. With a deep sigh she remarked:
"I don't see how God could have given me such a nose when he knows how particular I am."—Harper's Weekly.

Reading Them.
Though the world may have a lover, When they pay his letters over In a court.
—Pittsburg Post.

With or Without?
"It's hard for a man to get along without a woman."
"There's only one thing harder."
"What?"
"To get along with one."—Cleveland Leader.

Hyphenated.
When a woman answers "No" that is quite easy to guess. The little hyphen is to show Her answer should be "No."
—Chicago News.

Notice to Girls.
"How the girls love to sit out on the veranda!"
"They should take turns. No one will tire the whole bunch to have ice cream."—Buffalo Express.

We Envy Adam.
Whatever trouble Adam had, No man could make him sore By saying he had more.
"I've heard that joke before."
—Glasgow Magazine.

English Etchings.
Some 50,000 cancer experiments are made every year in England.
The glasses are never placed on the dinner table when members of the royal family are present.

The majesty's motorcars carry no number, and chauffeurs are not amenable for exceeding the speed limit.
Mrs. Russell of Halesland, Kent, England, has bequeathed \$250,000 for the establishment of a home for hoodlums, the provisions restricting the benefices to doctored wives.

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Punctuation.
Returning from school the other afternoon, little Edith proudly informed her mother that she had learned to punctuate. "Well, dear," said mamma, "and how is it done?" "You see, mamma," explained Edith, "when you write 'Hark!' you put a hatpin after it, and when you ask a question then you put down a button hook."

IT COSTS SOMETHING TO LIVE UP IN THE AIR

Berlin, Aug. 12.—The government has sanctioned a price list for buffet charges in serial passenger craft; for you can't live on air while in the air. The prices are pretty steep for Germany. For instance, a portion of caviar, or lobster, \$1.25; a cold fried chicken, \$2; salad, 35c; a bottle of Rhine wine, \$2.50; a glass of cognac, 50c.

PATRIOTISM OF A RUSSIAN COBBLER FOR HIS NEW LAND

This is concerning a Russian cobbler, the cobbler's son and—patriotism. It is a matter of a small city in Saskatchewan. The Russian cobbler, in silence, day in and day out. The son shines shoes and improves his knowledge of the English tongue by dealing with the customers. The boy is perhaps eighteen, and is good looking. His face has the attractiveness of youth, perfectly indifferent to the knowledge of evil, perfectly absorbed in the pleasure of being alive and happy. The father has a long kinky beard of iron grey. His eyes-brows are shaggy. He seldom looks up from his work. When he speaks it is in Russian.

I went in to get a shoe shine. "Morning, sir," said the cobbler's son, with elaborate care to pronounce the words correctly, and with a smile that denoted his confidence in the goodness of all things. "A shine, sir." He used the "sir" as though he liked to use it, to everyone, just because there was no law that insisted upon it. "Shine, please?"

"So he started to polish, and while he worked, I heard an argument, or rather a discussion, between the boy and a fourth person in the little shop—an Englishman of the deteriorated class, whose countenance was illuminated by the effects of such artificial stimulant. I learned that he boarded with the shoemaker, and that, he or out of work, he spent his time loafing in the cobbler's shop, and smoking with the self-satisfaction which a member of this type assumes when he has the advantage over some member of another race. The Englishman, who evidently interrupted a discussion between the boy and the Englishman. The Englishman reopened it, while the boy worked briskly with the brushes.

Man Who Scorned a Vote.

"So you've got a vote?" he drawled, half sneering, and leaning one huge shoulder against the little counter. "Yes, sir," replied the boy, between his hurried breathings. "At least I have not a vote yet, but I shall have very shortly."

"Huh?" "And some day," the boy went on, speaking over his shoulder, "some day I'll be able to help govern this beautiful country."

"Beautiful country. Huh?" "Well, it is not a beautiful country," asked the boy, innocently, as though what he had stated could not possibly be denied or modified. "Is it not—is it not better than any other country in the world?" He was perfectly serious.

"I've only a boy. I could tell you a deal if I was a mind to. But I shan't. I'd wake you up too sudden like. You've got a vote, or y' will have, woun't ye? Well, that's the matter with this here country. All you furriers has more rights than a decent man—a Hindman. It's very well for you furriers, but wot about us a-fought and died and shed our moomin' lives and things for it all? Ah? What about that?"

"I didn't think, sir," replied the young man, still working at the shoes, "but it is not still beautiful to live in now?"

The Englishman moved lazily in order to avoid a bit of sun that was innocently trying to crawl up his sleeve. "Wot's this country do fer me?" he demanded. "Why should it do anything for you and not for me, ah? Ere am I, I say, I say, 'ere I am, and I ain't got a good enough job for a decent man like me, 'ave I, ah? Wot should you 'ave it an' not me? Wot do y' say to that? Ah?"

The shiner of shoes was too confident in the ultimate goodness of things to take offence at the belligerent tone, but he became a little less cheery.

Where Life Was Unlaid

"We know—we foreign people," he said, as though repeating something that he had learned with great care, that the British people fought and were many times killed in order to secure the rights that you now allow us to enjoy. But is that all the more beautiful? he used the word without any sense of exaggeration, "that you now allow oppressed people to come and enjoy the things which you enjoy, if they work and are peaceable and loyal?—My father and I and my sister—come from a place where it was not that way. The life of a man was not safe. Nor of a woman either. His voice fell away and he was silent for a time. Absent-mindedly he polished and re-polished the one boot.

"Ya, I know something about Russia," I cried the Britisher. But the boy did not look up. Into the meagrely fitted shop in a minute city there seemed suddenly to have entered the shadow of some tragedy.

The face of the boy was strangely flushed. The old cobbler pounced the last but paused to look at the son.

He said something to him in Russian. The boy's response was to stretch up like a flash and face the loofer. His black hair was tossed back from his bright, clear face.

"I tell you this," he flung the words at the cast-off, "I tell you—you are foolish. You are not a citizen. You do not love this land as we strangers love it. We will regard always with gratitude the people who let us into this land to live and work and be happy. They have said—their Majesty the government have said that we may be here and that we may be equal with all good citizens. You do not know that means. We do. We know this is a beautiful country. If you say this is the joy he said of foreigners.

The Cobbler's Curious Story
And this is what the newspaper man learned that day from the mounted police corporal and from the neighbors, such as could speak English. The cobbler's wife had been slain in a riot in Russia. The riot had been brought about by oppression. The cobbler had heard that he was to be prosecuted for alleged conspiracy, and he had escaped to Canada. In a little Russian colony which spent half its time working in this western city to pay for the equipment of their lands which they went to occupy, according to the law for the other six months in the year. As far as they had accumulated enough for implements and the means of existence and had broken the land, the members of the colony moved out to their own farms. But there always were ones who filled their places in the city colony, and among these the cobbler remained as a sort of high priest. He had given up his old country for a new one. With the doggedness of a people to whom mere existence is a terribly serious thing, he had determined that the son should become proficient in English.

"You know," laughed the mounted man in the red coat, "the old man teaches all his people that come here, the Canadian law. They gather round his nights on his door-step, and he smokes and talks to them. He has made this the best bunch of foreigners in the West, as far as I've seen, and as for patriotism—he has us beaten. You know I never had half an idea what British government means till I heard some of the fellow's theories translated by his son. Some day that son will be an M.P. They say that the old man is training him for it. Funny, ain't it?"

The New Patriotism
That shows a new patriotism which is springing up in the west. It is based on appreciation. It is not based, as old patriotism is most often based, on sentiment, tradition and prejudice. There is very little of the old sort in the West. Some men forget the country because they are engrossed in making fortunes. But among the intelligent foreigners there is a real appreciation of the benefits of British institutions, which will have an effect, some day, in creating public men, and public sentiment. It will probably be an exceedingly good effect. At all events, if western commercialism does not kill it out, it will be an interesting factor in the making of the Canadian national spirit that some people are always looking for.—British B. Cooke, in the Toronto Daily Star.

TEN PER CENT. INCREASE
Customs Department Shows Large Gains This Year
"During no year in the history of my department have the revenues been so large as they were in 1909 and up to the present date the revenues of 1910 have shown a ten per cent. increase."

Such was the statement of Mr. John McDougall, commissioner of customs, Ottawa, who is in Edmonton on his annual tour of inspection. Mr. McDougall is a guest at the King Edward Hotel. He is a very interesting man, and has been in the customs for the last twenty years, having been in the department of customs in various centres and in keeping with the rapid development of the west.

Mr. McDougall has not yet inspected the local offices, but he does not think it likely that there will be any change here at present.

For the Edmonton Industrial Exhibition, August 23 to 26, 1910, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company will have in effect special fares.

For full particulars as to fares, limits, etc., apply to nearest Canadian Pacific ticket agent.

THE MISSION OF THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

A Children's Aid Society or a committee empowered to act under the Children's Protection Act of Alberta should be at work in every town and village in the province to act promptly to cases of child neglect or cruelty, and to act in the capacity of probation officers or friends to the boys and girls who are in need of the helpful advice that only an older person can give.

The work of the Children's Aid Society is:

To rescue homeless, abused or neglected children at the earliest possible age, from their unfortunate surroundings. The finding of foster homes for children in need of such homes and the continuing of a watchful care over any children placed in such foster homes.

To protect society against the strongest of its foes—ignorance and vice, by the securing of good home conditions for children who would otherwise grow up under the most pernicious and evil influences.

To urge upon parents the serious results bound to accrue from the careless training or neglect of their children during the most impressionable years of early childhood.

To set that every child in the community has a chance to grow up to be a good citizen.

The home life of neglected children may be greatly improved by a little kindly intervention; that failing, there is a law in Alberta which protects helpless children from abuse or neglect and it should be appealed to promptly.

Homeless children should be taken care of at once and placed either in foster homes or in the nearest shelter where they may be cared for until foster homes are found.

Those interested in the work of the Children's Aid Society or those who know of cases of neglect or cruelty to a law in Alberta which protects helpless children from abuse or neglect and it should be appealed to promptly.

SAND AND GRAVEL CONTRACTS

Work Will Soon Be in Full Swing on the High Level Bridge

The contract for the supplying of gravel for the construction of the high level bridge has been let to the Huff Gravel Company of this city. The contract is valued at \$100,000.

At present the Huff Company have not adequate facilities for handling the contract and will find it necessary to put on two shifts of labor. Fifty thousand yards of gravel is to be delivered to both sides of the river at a cost of \$2 a yard.

Joe. Hostyn has secured the contract to supply the sand necessary for the construction of the piers and it will be brought from Clover Bar.

The plant to be used by the concrete company has arrived and will be put in place immediately.

SHORT TIME LIMIT

American Railways Do Not Give Time Enough on Tickets for Intending Settlers

The practice of several American railways, particularly the Wahash and New York Central, of issuing round trip tickets to points in Canada to homeseekers, good for twenty-five days from date of issue, is being complained about by Americans who intend locating in this country. The ground for complaint is that the time limit is far too short, and that it is practically impossible to look over the land and choose location in that time.

Quite a number of complaints of this nature have been made to local immigration officers, mainly by persons from Arkansas and other neighboring states.

THEY WAITED LONG.

A remarkable story of filial devotion and lover's constancy is reported from Brila in Rumania, and it has just culminated in the marriage of Maria Liega, aged 30, and Joseph Stolesco, aged 35.

Sixty years ago Maria and Joseph were anxious to wed, but the girl's father refused his consent, and the dutiful daughter agreed to remain a spinster until death removed his opposition. The father, in a country where thanks to the use of four milk, centenarians are common, kept her waiting until he reached the age of 113. The Bishop of Brila, who performed the long delayed ceremony, help up the newly married couple as an example to all young lovers.

Tail and pleasure in their nature opposite are linked together in a kind of necessary connection.

SIX DAYS and the BIG FAIR will be on Edmonton, August 23-4-5-6

TO OPERATE TO REMOVE BULLET

Physicians Will Extract Bullet As Soon As Mayor Gaylor Is Strong Enough

New York, Aug. 17.—A quiet rest night found Mayor Gaylor still further improved today and his physicians have now the strongest belief in his complete recovery. The temperature, pulse and respiration are practically normal and there are no indications of infection from the bullet wound. The physicians issued the following 8 o'clock bulletin:

"Mayor Gaylor passed a very good night. He has slept well and enjoyed breakfast and is gaining in strength. Temperature 87.4, pulse 70 and respiration 16."

It is now generally believed he will undergo an operation for the removal of the bullet just as soon as his physicians feel that he is strong enough. The operation will be simple, it is said, and attended by little danger.

WON'T REACH CALGARY THIS YEAR

Contractor Timothy of the C.N.R. Says Work is Badly Delayed by the C. P. R.

Owing to the decision in regard to the charges made by the C. P. R. against C. N. R. contractors for trespassing and being in abeyance, all construction work on the C. N. R. branch line south of Calgary has been held up. Contractor Timothy, one of those involved in the charges, is in the city a guest at the Alberta Hotel.

According to Mr. Timothy it is extremely doubtful if he will be able to complete his contract this year, but it is also a matter for speculation if the grading to Calgary can be completed before winter. It was expected by the C. N. R. that the branch could have been completed this year, but the unfortunate contretemps, caused by the action of the C.P.R. has effectively prevented the realization of those expectations.

Contractor Timothy's camp is located on the south side of the Rosebud, 30 miles north of Calgary.

AN APPALLING CASUALTY LIST

An advance report of the Interstate Commerce Commission of the United States shows that the total number of casualties to persons on American railways for the year ending June 30, 1909, was 104,348, of which 8,222 represented the number of persons killed and 95,626 the number injured. Casualties occurred among three general classes of railway employees, as follows: Trainmen, 1,344 killed, 29,118 injured; switch tenders, crossing tenders, and watchmen, 93 killed, 507 injured; other employees, 1,173 killed, 45,381 injured. The casualties to employees coupling and uncoupling cars were: Killed 155, injured 2,382. The casualties connected with coupling and uncoupling cars are assigned as follows: Trainmen killed 137, injured 2,271; switch tenders, crossing tenders, and watchmen killed 14, injured 76.

The casualties due to falling from trains, locomotives, or cars in motion were: Trainmen killed 205, injured 4,433; switch tenders, crossing tenders, and watchmen killed 1, injured 50; other employees killed 51, injured 404. The casualties due to jumping on or off trains, locomotives, or cars in motion were: Trainmen killed 84, injured 4,435; switch tenders, crossing tenders, and watchmen killed 6, injured 64; other employees killed 42, injured 487. The casualties to the same three classes of employees in consequence of collisions and derailments were: Trainmen killed 389, injured 3,599; switch tenders, crossing tenders, and watchmen killed 1, injured 20; other employees killed 70, injured 515.

The number of passengers killed in the course of the year 1909 was 253, and the number of injured 10,311. During the previous year 382 passengers were killed and 10,556 injured.

WASTE OF TIMBER BY FIRE

A recent traveller over the Canadian Pacific was, says the New York Sun, particularly struck by the "incredible acreage" along that railway that now lies in desolate blackness almost without a gap along the entire right of way. A little more than a week ago great forest fires were raging in the Port William district and millions of dollars worth of lumber at the mills and trees standing in the forest were destroyed. The fire raged from Aitken to Port William practically all the way to Fort Francis, having in some places a depth of fifteen miles from the tracks of the Canadian Northern Railway. The jack and white pine thus destroyed in a few days cannot be replaced in half a century.

No country is rich enough in its natural resources to stand such drains upon it as are continually made by forest fires in the United States and Canada every year, and the result is that from this cause alone the domain of the wilderness is constantly diminishing. In Ontario and Wisconsin fires due to railway engines destroyed millions of dollars worth of standing pine and hardwood only a week ago. In Wisconsin one of the burned districts extended 40 miles in one direction.

STRONGEST AT THIRTY-ONE

Inasmuch as a man's muscles develop with use it would appear logical that the older he gets the stronger he should become, but such is not the case. Experiments made with thousands of men show that the muscles of the average man have their

period of increase and decline, whether he used them much or little. The average youth of 17 has a lifting power of 280 pounds. By his 20th year his power has increased to such a degree that he should be able to exert a lifting power of 320 pounds, while his maximum power is reached in his 30th or 32nd year, 365 pounds then being recorded. At the expiration of the 31st year his power begins to decline, very gradually at first, falling but eight pounds by the time he is 40.

From 40 to 50 the decrease of power is somewhat more rapid, having dropped to 320 pounds at the latter age, the average lifting power of a man of 50, therefore, being slightly greater than that of a man of 20. After 50 the decrease in strength is usually rapid, but the rate of decrease varies so surprisingly in individuals that it has been impossible to obtain accurate data as to average strength after that age.

Sarcasm.
A hungry typhoid convalescent demanded something to eat. The nurse gave him a spoonful of tapioca. "Now," he said fretfully, "I want to read a little. Bring me a postage stamp."

The Cause
He—the minister preached a scathing discourse on the extravagance of women.

She—Yes, and there his wife sat with a three guinea hat on.

He—That was probably the cause of the sermon.

Special Feature at the Fair

In the Shadow of the Cross

The world's greatest art exhibit, baffling all who have seen it

The Miracle Painting of the Saviour

Unfinished and Unexplained

All Week at Fair All Week at Fair

THE REAL MONEY SPENDERS

Those who spend it themselves or influence its spending are—the women. No one knows this better than the departmental store merchant—the greatest student of advertising of modern times. He grasps the great opportunities to arrest their attention; it is their approval and support that brings him great success.

He concentrates the great bulk of his advertising in the paper that reaches the home. This is the reason why

The Capital—Edmonton's acknowledged Home Paper—is read by over four thousand readers every day

BREAK THE HABIT

—of—

"Just Glancing at Things"

IF there's an ad. in this paper—one of the kind that's repeated—and you are not able to tell what it's about, or what the advertiser is so much in earnest about that he repeats, and repeats, and repeats his message to you—why not, for your own information, just settle down and

READ THAT AD.

read it as carefully as though it were a business letter addressed to you!

Then you'll *know* whether it interests you. Now, you *don't*.

Nobody gets much *real* information by "just glancing at things"—especially is this true of advertising. For advertising is such a many-phrased factor of today-life—is woven so carefully into the fabric of today-affairs—that it is something to be *understood*—to be considered in its significance to you, personally.

Don't

"Just Glance"

Alan Sanderson

By HALLIE ERMINE RIVES,
Author of "Hearts Courageous," Etc.

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wood, saw the gleam of a gold piece, the gleam of melted wax, the gleam of the polished oak. The reddish glow of the candle was reflected on the players' faces. They were gambling! At God's holy altar and on Christ's table! Who would dare such a profanation?

He craned his neck. Suddenly he gave a smothered cry. The player facing him he recognized—it was the minister!

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That succeeded as abrupt as the queen, devoutly assurance with which his mind now saw the pit into which his own feet had led him.

He blew out the candle, replaced it carefully in its altar bracket, made shift to wipe the wax from the table and slowly, half blindly and without a word, went into the study.

The bishop came forward, drew the key from the inside of the study door, closed it and locked it from the chapel side. Harry did not turn, but he was actually conscious of every sound. He heard the door shut sharply, the harsh grate of the key in the lock, and the sound came to him like the last sentence—the realization of a soul on whom the gate of the good closes forever.

In the dark silence of the chapel Hallelujah Jones smote his thin hands together approvingly as he followed the bishop to the outer door. There the older man laid his hand on his shoulder.

"Let him that thinketh he standeth," he said, "take heed lest he fall! Let not the knowledge be spread abroad that it make the unrighteous to blasphemy. When you pray for your own soul tonight pray for the soul of that man from whom God's face is turned away!"

Something in the churchman's evangelist bowed to the rule of ecclesiastical authority. He went without a word.

In the study Harry Sanderson stood for a moment with the cards in his hand, bag of double eagles in his hand. Finally he put the cards and the canvas bag methodically into the safe and

is set outside the barn, and the blower fixed so as to deliver the straw into the mow. It will require a couple more to carry away the grain, depending upon the distance it has to be taken. When the fall wheat is ready the threshing is brought in and again when the spring grain is ready. In this way the extra labor of hauling the grain to the barn, storing it in the mows and moving it again at the threshing time is avoided. Then there is the loss of the grain consequent upon handling it so often, if the threshing is done in the ordinary way. This threshing from the field proposition, therefore, looks like a pretty good thing, even for the farmer in Eastern Canada. It is a case of a few farmers co-operating in their own interests and saving time and labor—Canadian Farm.

There will be an entire change of program at the Empire, starting tomorrow, and Sherman's Musical Comedy Company will be in a new offering called "Mistakes in Society," which is a scenic burlesque, and which should make a hit.

The new musical numbers will be catchy and bright.

There is a matinee every day at the Empire at 3 p.m., with two full shows at night and two complete changes of program a week—on Mondays and Thursdays.

The present bill, "A Night at Coney Island," is a splendid example of real musical comedy, and from the laughter it invoked last night it is evident the people like it.

Starting next Monday the entire company will move to the Edmonton Opera House, which in the future will be known as the Lyceum Theatre, and will be the permanent home of this popular company. This theatre has been remodelled and renovated and will have a neat up-to-date appearance. The same class of shows and the same prices will prevail there.

"The Borgomaster."

One of the most handsomely costumed musical plays on the road this season is Wm. P. Cullen's production of Pixley and Lader's greatest musical comedy, "The Borgomaster." The costumes are of the most modern style and it can safely be promised that some of the evening gowns will be well worth seeing. The large presenting company will be headed by Gus C. Weininger, the original "Borgomaster." This large organization will be seen at the Empire, starting Monday, August 22nd. Seats are now selling at the box office.

The Biggest Church.

St. Peter's, at Rome, reared centuries before the age of steam and electricity began, is still the biggest of churches, the most colossal of all places of worship.

Paul Revere.

Paul Revere probably was America's first engraver. He did much work for the provincial congress, including the engraving and printing of banknotes such as the famous \$100,000 of colony notes in 1776 and also various commitments for engraving on silver, copper, etc.

Madier and Indigo.

Chemical processes of making madier and indigo colors have changed the face of those industries. One-half of the entire consumption of indigo is now produced in Germany chemical plants.

Look for the Dog on Every Record



ADVANCE VICTOR RECORDS FOR SEPTEMBER NOW ON SALE

New selections by Caruso, Lauder, McCormack, Scotti, Fritz Kreisler, Bayes-Norworth and other celebrated artists. Ask your dealer to play No. 16508 for you.

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PHEMIE LOCKHART

At Willie is The Borgomaster.

SHADOW OF THE CROSS

The picture marvel of all ages, "In the Shadow of the Cross," the painting that has caused more wonderment and amazement than any other work of art ever produced on account of the peculiar phenomenon connected with Saviour, when in the light is a fine unfinished, full-sized picture of the Saviour standing with one hand over his breast, the other hanging at his side with a beautiful cloud background; when the lights are out there is seen a shadow of a cross in the clouds. In fact the painting when in darkness, has a peculiar blue light or haze all over the background showing the figure lightly carrying

SACRIFICE CITY PROPOSITION

House and Lot 1 Block from Jasper, 1 Block from Street Car line, on boulevard street. For a few days only \$1450

IMPROVED FARM AT WILD LAND PRICE

Improved Farm in Edmonton District, 75 acres broken buildings, etc. \$14.00 per acre—Terms.

BUILDING LOTS AT A SACRIFICE

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The Weather

Forecast—All West, fine today and on Thursday. Thursday a little warmer. A few very light showers have occurred in each of the prairie provinces, but the weather generally has been fine. Very cool condition has prevailed. Temperatures in the districts recorded in nearly all districts during the night.

Station.	11.	L. Weather
Kamloops	76	50 Clear
Edmonton	80	34 Clear
Red Deer	80	34 Fair
Calgary	80	34 Fair
Lethbridge	62	37 Fair
Medicine Hat	59	42 Cloudy
Saskatoon	57	33 Clear
Regina	64	32 Clear
Moose Jaw	60	31 Clear
Brandon	67	36 Clear
Portage La Prairie	64	44 Clear
Winnipeg	68	46 Clear
Port Arthur	70	56 Cloudy

About Town

The Knights of Columbus are running an excursion down the river on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Fare, 25 cents. Everybody welcome.

Black Watch Camp, No. 202, Sons of Scotland, will hold their regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in Houston's Hall. A large turnout is expected.



Jack's How is it that Mrs. Brown can get a quiet horse and drive her lady friends and you cannot get the same for me. Well, my dear Brown, ask at Horner's Livery and you will see.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Winnipeg, Aug. 17.—Wheat futures—October, 105 1/4 to 105 1/2; December 103 1/4 to 103 1/2; May 107 1/2 to 108 1/4. Cash close—No. 1 Northern, 1.10; No. 2 Northern, 1.08 1/2; No. 3 Northern, 1.04 1/2. No. 2 Oats, 39. Flax, 2.20.

Roy Moss was fined \$1 and costs in the police court this morning for keeping a vicious dog. For riding a bicycle on the sidewalk, J. B. Morgan was assessed \$2 and costs, while two drunks hauled over the usual fines, \$4 and costs.

The C. P. R. ticket office has been advised that the Empress of Britain with 255 first class, 297 second class and 900 third class passengers has been reported by wireless 180 miles east of Belle Isle. She is expected to reach Quebec at 2 p.m. tomorrow.

Secretary Fisher of the board of trade has received a letter from the secretary of the board at Lethbridge in reply to a telegram sent there several days ago acquainting the Lethbridge board of the good condition in this district for the feeding of cattle. The reply, received this morning contained the statement that the information was being circulated in the Lethbridge district.

Personal**BORN**

To the wife of A. Yockney, 748 Seventh street, on the 16th inst., a daughter.

NUISANCE CAUSES BUILDING OF ROAD

Owing to Fact That Stable Refuse Was Not Put in the Ravine in East End

A stable, owned by La Rose and Bell, situated in front of the R. N. W. M. P. barracks on Grieson street, has been causing a great deal of trouble in that they have not been disposing of the manure in a proper manner but have allowed it to accumulate near the stable on the side of the river bank.

This morning Dr. Whitelaw and Commissioner Bouillon inspected the stable and this afternoon the city engineer will take some men and teams to the place and finish the construction of the road down into the ravine so that "we will be no difficulty in disposing of the manure."

This morning Dr. Whitelaw said that lady had had trouble with the stable before and that the manure was the cause of the plague of flies that the residents in that quarter have been complaining about. The owners of the stable were allowing the manure to accumulate at the top of the bank instead of taking it down to the bottom.

The police have had several complaints sent in before about the same matter and it is certain now that the road will be finished and the nuisance removed.

IMPORTANT PRESS DESPATCH

Meiba Gets Record Pay from the Metropolitan

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(The New York World.) Special Cable Despatch to The World. London—Mrs. Meiba has been engaged to sing with the Metropolitan Opera Company of New York at \$4,000 a night. This is said to be the highest salary ever paid to any singer for a general opera engagement, although both Meiba and Patti have received larger sums for particular appearances.

Before she goes to New York she will make a concert tour in Canada.

Meiba is now rehearsing Juliet at Covent Garden, for which post she has procured some new costumes which are likely to create a sensation. The subscription list for the Meiba Grand Concert is still open at the Piano Warehouses of Geo. H. Suckling, 237-239 Rice Street, Depot for the famous Pianos of Steinway, Nordheimer, Lansdowne Co., and Haines Bros. The date of the Meiba Concert at the Thistle Kirk, Edmonton, is Wednesday, October 5th. Parties intending to secure seats should send their names to Mr. Geo. H. Suckling under no delay.

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The Day in Strathcona**COUNCIL MEETING**

At the meeting of the Strathcona city council yesterday evening a petition was presented by Ald. Lendrum and other west end property holders, at which Ald. Congdon expressed surprise, that the work of draining McKernan's and Lendrum Lake be undertaken.

Ald. Congdon thought that it was peculiar that this petition should be brought forward just after the Potter report had been presented, which had recommended a system of draining that could not be undertaken this year.

Ald. Lendrum replied that these bodies of water were a danger to the public health. After some discussion the matter was referred to the public works committee. No appropriation was made for this task this year but it is possible that there may be a surplus from other appropriations.

A letter was received from the fire chief calling attention to the fact that the hydrants in different parts of the city were being used for commercial purposes and wherever they had been used they were mostly found to be out of order, a particular instance was given in the case of the hydrant at Walter's mill, which had at times been left partially open. It was suggested that this hydrant be provided with a sufficient length of hose so that in the event of a fire occurring in the mill there would be sufficient to reach to the mill.

A motion introduced by Ald. Congdon was passed, that the same water be charged as was in force during the year 1909. It also suggested that water rates remaining unpaid after the thirtieth of the month would result in the water being cut off at the house of the interested party. A bylaw imposing a frontage tax of ten cents per foot frontage on all property past which the water mains were constructed, was given its three readings.

The water and sewer committee recommended the payment of \$238.50 in settlement of Robert Cuckey's claim for \$485.60 for pipes laid by him on city property.

Ald. Calder asked if the committee appointed to investigate the regulation regarding street car funders had met as he was of the opinion that no time should be lost in inquiring into the matter.

A long list of communications had been received and were considered by the council. The United Farmers of Alberta wrote requesting a delegate to be appointed to the convention to be held in Vancouver in August, or failing to send a delegate to express an opinion on several important matters that would be discussed at the meetings.

A. L. Fuller of Fuller & Austin, offered to form a city block a strip of land 200 1/2 by 66 across block 40 to form a continuation of Saskatchewan avenue. The communication was filed.

Col. Cruickshank informed the council that the governor-general's shield had been given by the Strathcona-Cadotte Corps. (The shield will be held by the municipality during the coming year.)

The council decided that a license would be required by the agents of the Edge-Haking Co. if they wished to canvass from house to house.

On Monday morning T. Cochrane died in the Isolation Hospital in Edmonton. Mr. Cochrane had been employed at Walter's mill. His brother resides in Winnipeg and his son and daughter at Welland, Ont., and have been notified, but no answer has yet been received.

On Thursday afternoon the first annual flower show will be held in the skating rink. The exhibits are required to be placed in the building by 11 o'clock. The exhibits will be received at the rink this evening after 6 o'clock.

The city council and the railroad way have agreed that the rails shall be laid on 31st street this year as far south as the paving is extended. This will save the ratepayers considerable expense as the street railway will pave the street between the rails.

Operations have been discontinued at present owing to the street railway company's lack of material. An order has been placed by the Edmonton city commission and the work will be completed as soon as the material arrives.

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